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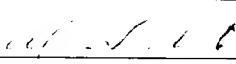
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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1001	750	2001	375			Utility filing fee	
1002	330	2002	165			Design filing fee	
1003	520	2003	260			Plant filing fee	
1004	750	2004	375			Reissue filing fee	
1005	160	2005	80			Provisional filing fee	
SUBTOTAL (1)							(\$0)

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

		Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Total Claims	14	-24** = 0	18	0
Independent Claims	1	-4** = 0	84	0
Multiple Dependent				0

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1202	18	2202	9			Claims in excess of 20
1203	64	2201	42			Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	280	2203	140			Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204	44	2204	12			** <i>Request for independent claims over original patent</i>
1205	18	2205	9			** <i>Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent</i>
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3. ADDITIONAL FEES					
Large Entity Small					
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
1053	130	2053	130	Non-English specification	
1812	2520	1812	2520	For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination	
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1840*	1805	1840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	110
1252	410	2252	205	Extension for reply within second month	
1253	930	2253	465	Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1450	2254	715	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	1970	2255	885	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	320	1401	160	Notice of Appeal	
1402	320	1402	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	280	1403	140	Request for oral hearing	
1451	1510	1451	1510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	110	1452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	1300	1453	650	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501	1300	2501	650	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502	470	2502	235	Design issue fee	
1503	630	2503	315	Plant issue fee	
1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee for provisional applications	
1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
6021	40	6021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1809	750	2809	375	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
1810	750	2810	375	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
1801	750	2801	375	Request for reexamination - initial (RCE)	
1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a patent application	
Other fee (specify)					
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